

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specification as follows:

Paragraph beginning on page 1, at prenumbered line 6, has been amended as follows:

The invention relates to an oval-tracked exercise apparatus for simulating hand-movement, and more particularly, to an apparatus in which the rocker arm and the treadle move synchronously in an oval track (elliptical path) and in an offset position for simulating the actual motion of the hands and the feet in an oval track during walking exercise session.

Paragraph beginning on page 5, at prenumbered line 11, has been amended as follows:

The treadles 13 are connected to ~~the~~ a circumference of a rotary body 14 at ~~the tail~~ a rear of the main frame 11 and are positioned oppositely along the same diameter. In this way, the treadles 13 move in opposite direction, with one up and the other down, or one front and the other back. An enclosure 15 covers the rotary body 14 and other components such as a motor or power equipment (not shown in the figure) to form an exercise apparatus 10.

Paragraph beginning on page 7, at prenumbered line 22, has been amended as follows:

Therefore, the advantages of the invention can be concluded as follows:

1. The use of the oval-tracked exercise apparatus of the invention simulates the movement of the hands and the feet during the session of walking exercise, unlike that the conventional rocker arms can only perform single arched swing.
2. The simulation of the movement of the hands and the feet in walking exercise will enable the feet to move in an oval track (elliptical path) for keeping the operator's health in good condition.
3. The uphill and downhill exercise modes are available by adjusting the adjusting mechanism of the invention.